

## BARRE LEGION ENDED STRONG

And Defeated National  
Life at Montpelier  
By 16 to 15

## TWO BASKETS AT END OF THE GAME

Turned the Tables After a  
Seeming Defeat Last  
Night

In a fast, hard-fought game won in the last few seconds of play, the Barre American Legion basketball team defeated the strong aggregation from the National Life Insurance company in the Montpelier armory last night by a score of 16 to 15. The score stood 13 to 12 in favor of the Montpelier team a few minutes before the end of the final period. Another Montpelier basket brought the score to 15 to 12 and things looked wrong for the Granite City team.

But Oliver, the Barre team's big center, rose to the occasion with a short shot which found the basket, and Wilson brought the ball the length of the floor for the winning basket. Considerable roughing was done by both teams. The lineup:

National Life. Barre Legion.  
Frank Gross, Lampert, Jr., Ceraqui  
Ira Gross, H. . . . . If, Wilson  
Barber, Lampert, F. Gross, C. Oliver  
Hudson, Jr. . . . . Haskett, Bjorn  
Comi, Lampert, Jr. . . . . Ig, Johnson  
Time, two 15-minute periods and one 10-minute period; referee, Cullen.

## EVERY MAN IN CONDITION.

Washington and Jefferson Football  
Team Goes to Pasadena.

Washington, Penn., Dec. 24.—The Washington and Jefferson football squad led by Coach Neale, and accompanied by President S. S. Baker and party of undergraduate students, was given an enthusiastic send-off when it left here to-day for Pasadena, California, where on January 2, it will play against the University of California. Every player was in prime condition for the journey and the game it was asserted.

The team will go by way of Kansas City, remaining there until Tuesday, when it will journey to the Grand Canyon, reaching there on Thursday, and the final leg of the journey will end at Pasadena Friday afternoon.

## BROOKLYN WANTS FLETCHER.

Former Giant Shortstop Has Been Out  
of the Game.

New York, Dec. 24.—Arthur Fletcher, former shortstop of the New York Giants, is being sought, it is reported, by the Brooklyn National league team. Fletcher was traded to Philadelphia in 1920, and announced his retirement from the game after the death of his father during the spring training season that year, but officials of the Brooklyn club are reported to be negotiating for his release from the Phillies.

## MAKING GAS MANTLES REQUIRES GREAT CARE

Millions Used, Few Know Process of  
Manufacture.

Millions of incandescent gas mantles are used yearly in the United States. The method of lighting in which they are employed is now familiar to every one, although it was introduced only about 20 years ago. Yet very probably there are but few persons who use the mantles who know how they are made or what they are made of. Here is a brief summary:

Knitting—A thread of suitable size is knit into a tubular fabric on a machine modified from those used in knitting underwear. A large variety of stitches is made and designated as single weave, double weave, triple weave, etc.

Saturating—The lengths of knitted fabric are placed in a suitable vessel and the so-called lighting fluid is poured over them. After the fabric is soaked in the lighting fluid for a certain length of time it is put through an equalizer for the purpose of equalizing the amount of fluid carried by each web. The fabric is then placed upon forms of glass or wood and dried.

Sewing—The fabric is now taken and folded in at one end and carefully plaited and an asbestos cord drawn through to form the head and loop of the mantle.

Modeling—After the head is made the saturated fabric is shaped over a wooden form.

Burned Out—The modeled fabric is then hung on a hook and ignited at the top. The thread is burned out, leaving the ash composed of the oxides of thorium and cerium.

Hardening—After the cotton is burned out the soft, lacy ash is placed over a blowpipe, where the gas and air are controlled in such a way as to blow it out to the form of a mantle.

Dipping—In order to prepare the mantle for the subsequent handling and for shipment it is dipped into a bath of collodion and allowed to dry.

Trimming—After the collodionized mantles are thoroughly dried, they are passed to an operator, who trims off the rough edges of the shirt and reduces the mantles to a uniform length.

Packing—Loop mantles are suspended in paper tubes by cords; cap mantles are mounted on supports and the supports secured fastened to the caps. Mantles are usually packed in cartons of 50 and shipped according to the size—being shipped usually in 500 or 1000 mantles to a case.

In all these details there exists the necessity of avoiding the least trace of mineral impurity, which interferes with the light.—New York Herald.

## Completed the Job.

A hard-hearted chauffeur from Maine ran over a chap in the rains. Looking round he said, "Gracious! Oh life's so tedious!" So he backed up and hit him again.—Boston Transcript.

## Painful Sores On Her Ankle

Healed By Hood Preparations.

For two years I suffered greatly from blue veins on my leg. They started with a little sore that grew worse, larger, more painful till it extended around my whole ankle.

I decided to take Hood's Sarsaparilla to purify my blood, with Hood's Medicated Soap to wash the sore, and Hood's Olive Ointment to help heal it. It was soon apparent I was on the right course, for as the result of faithfully taking the Sarsaparilla, the sore diminished and finally disappeared. I heartily recommend these remedies to all suffering from similar troubles. Mrs. John Peterson, Detroit Harbor, Wis.—adv.

## POSSIBLE "CHAMP."

Frank Rose, Bohemian Heavyweight,  
Is Being Touted.

New York, Dec. 24.—Frank Rose, a Bohemian heavyweight, has been suggested to Tex Rickard, boxing promoter, as a possible contender for Jack Dempsey's world's heavyweight championship title. Rose is 28 years old, weighs 185 pounds and stands about 5 feet 11 inches.

Ottokar Bartik, Rose's manager, declared that the Bohemian pugilist has engaged in 100 ring battles over central Europe and has yet to experience the sensation of being knocked off his feet. Bartik told Rickard that Rose would arrive in this country early next year and will be willing to meet any American heavyweight Rickard might name.

## CENTRE COLLEGE. TEAM WORKS OUT AT SAN DIEGO

Coach Moran Expresses Confidence  
That His Team Will  
Beat Arizona.

San Diego, Cal., Dec. 24.—The Centre college football squad which arrived here yesterday from Danville, Ky., had brisk signal practice on the Coronado polo field in preparation for its game with the University of Arizona next Monday. Coach Charles Moran expressed confidence that all of his men would be in good shape for the games.

## "Wild Cats" on Way to San Diego.

Tucson, Ariz., Dec. 24.—Accompanied by coaches McClellan and Pierce and trainer Kerns, 25 University of Arizona football players to-day were on their way to San Diego, where they play Centre college on Dec. 26.

The players were to stop over in Los Angeles to-day and hold on work-out on the University of Southern California field. The Wild Cats plan to arrive in San Diego a day before the game.

## SUIT IS TRANSFERRED

To United States District Court in  
Seaside Case.

Salem, Mass., Dec. 24.—On motion of counsel for defendant, the \$100,000 suit of John M. Ingraham of Methuen against Arthur F. Walker, executor of the will of Edward F. Searies of Methuen, was yesterday ordered transferred by Judge Lawton to the United States district court. This is the suit in which Ingraham, a former employee, alleges that Searies promised him that he would leave him "well fixed" for life.

## CAPT. FRED PLACE DEAD.

Was Injured in Fall of Airplane at  
Kelly Field.

San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 24.—Captain Fred Place, United States aviator, stationed at Kelly field, is dead from injuries received Tuesday afternoon when his airplane crashed forty feet to the ground. Captain Place's home address was given as Brainerd, Minn. He had been in the army nine years and came here from Carlstrom field, Florida.

## Time-Keeping Automaton

One of the most wonderful time keepers known to the horologists was made in London, Eng., a hundred years ago, and was sent by the president of the East India company as a gift to the emperor of China. The case was made in the form of a chariot, in which was seated the figure of a woman.

This figure was of pure ivory and gold, and the right hand rested upon a tiny clock, fastened to the side of the chariot. Portions of the wheels which kept track of the flight of time were hidden in the body of a tiny bird, which had seemingly just alighted upon the woman's finger.

There was a canopy above, so arranged as to conceal a silver bell. The bell was fitted with a little hammer, also of silver, which, although it did not appear to have any connection with the clock, struck the hours regularly, and could be made to repeat by touching a diamond on the woman's bodies.

In the chariot, at the woman's feet, there was a golden figure of a dog, and above were two birds, apparently flying before the chariot. This beautiful ornament was made almost entirely of gold and was elaborately adorned with precious stones.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

## Couldn't Explain.

She was a real southern dandy, just up from "Gawpia" with her family of 10 children and her husband. One day, not being able to come to work as usual, she sent two of her daughters, one being Pauline, while the name of the other sounded like "Estherdee." The next time she came herself, her employer commented on the unusual name she had given her daughter. She laughed and said: "O, yes'm, and one gentleman who works for, he jes' calls her Easter Day." "Well, Eve," said the lady of the house, "whatever is the girl's name? Can you spell it?" "O, yes'm, ma'am. He kin spell it. E-e-e-e-e, Esther, and D, what's in the alphabet."

"O," said the woman, "do you mean the initial D?" "Yes'm, dat's it. 'Nitial D.'" "But what does it stand for?" "Well, ma'am, dat's sump'n I jes' can't tell you, 'cause I doesn't know. I never used the lady I done name her for."—New York Evening Post.

## MONEY LURE FOR STARS BAD

Trend of College Athletics  
Decried By Trinity's  
Head

## OFFERS OF MONEY A SERIOUS PROBLEM

When Boys Enter College  
for Sole Purpose of  
Gaining "Rep."

Boston, Dec. 24.—The tendency of college football stars to become coaches at big salaries after graduation was decried to-day by President Remson, B. Ogilby of Trinity college. As the representative for New England of the National Collegiate Athletic association, he will report on the trend of college sports in this section at the annual meeting in New York next week.

President Ogilby, pointing out that intercollegiate competitions inspire to intense play in contrasts with the lack of fire that marks contests between professional teams, added: "It is small wonder that it is the college stadium that is always filled to capacity for a big game."

"The difficulty comes," he continued, "when this intense interest in college athletics is exploited by individuals and organizations for its money value. To my mind, the chief problem in college athletics to-day is not the endeavor on the part of individual colleges to offer financial or other inducements to strengthen their teams. Colleges with ideals do not do this and, so far, no means have been successful in preventing colleges with low ideals from accomplishing it."

"The greater problem is when pressure is brought to bear upon an athlete who has made a reputation as a college amateur to use his prowess later for financial gain. It is not a good situation when a hero of a gridiron gets a salary running into four or five figures, as a coach for three or four years after graduation. It is not a good situation when a man goes into college athletics largely to build up a reputation which he may use later on professional teams. The fact that college athletes very shortly after completing their college season enter the field of professional sport, brings up serious problems."

"We may say that the influence of such college men as have gone into professional baseball has been for the best interests of that sport but that may not apply to football."

## INALIENABLE RIGHT.

For Wives to Take Money From  
Trousers of Husbands.

Malden, Mass., Dec. 24.—Judge Charles M. Bruce in the municipal court yesterday ruled that women are justified in helping themselves to cash in their husbands' pockets.

"It has been the inalienable right of women from the beginning of time to take money from their husbands' pockets," he said in finding Alphonso Di Esco guilty of assault on his wife, Lena.

Di Esco had testified that his wife was in the habit of taking coin from his trousers and that he had pushed her vigorously after the latest incident of the kind. He was released on probation.

## FACES JAIL SENTENCE.

Mayor Hylan of New York May Be in  
Contempt of Court.

New York, Dec. 23.—Mayor Hylan and other members of the board of estimate of this city face a jail sentence for contempt of court unless they restore to the city budget, not later than Dec. 25, some \$3,000,000, alleged to have been illegally deducted from the pension funds for police and other civil service employees. The appellate division of the supreme court yesterday upheld the writ of mandamus issued by Supreme Court Justice Mullan directing the restitution of the neglected items.

## Big Dinner Idea.

The superintendent of the primary department of the Presbyterian church at Franklin asked the children the question:

"Why do we celebrate Thanksgiving?" Junior Julian, aged 6, seemed most eager to answer.

"All right, Junior," said the superintendent. "You may tell us."

"To have a big dinner," he promptly answered.

"No," said the superintendent. "We usually have big dinners, but that is not the reason we observe Thanksgiving."

Not to be dismayed, Junior tried again. "Why, I know," he continued. "It is because the Pilgrims came over on the Mayflower and the Americans were so glad to see them that they said every year on the 24th of November we will have a big dinner."—Indianapolis News.

## The Late Comer.

St. Peter had had a busy day and Gabriel had not looked any himself. Through had visited the gate and been looked over.

Those who answered their questionnaires successfully and satisfactorily were admitted. For others it was "going down!"

Finally when the books were about to be closed for the day, a soul that had belonged to a newspaper man when on earth came puffing along.

"What'll we do with him, the books are practically closed for the day?" said Peter to Gabriel.

Before Gabriel had time to answer, the shade of the journalist timidly spoke up:

"You might label me 'Too Late to Classify' and let me in anyway. I can't go to the other place—I forgot my fire badge."—Philadelphia Ledger.

With a House Started.  
A girl in more apt to be willing to share a man's lot if it is located on Easy street.—Boston Transcript.

## TROUBLED WITH DANDRUFF YEARS

Also Pimples, Hair Thin and  
Fell Out. Cuticura Heals.

"After an attack of typhoid fever, pimples and dandruff appeared on my scalp and caused it to itch. My hair became thin and constantly fell and combed out, and the dandruff scaled off and could be seen on my clothing."

"The trouble lasted three or four years. I tried remedies but found no cure in them. I began using Cuticura Soap and Ointment and after I had used two boxes of Cuticura Ointment with the Cuticura Soap I was healed." (Signed) Thomas A. Maguire, 16 Lamson St., East Boston, Mass., July 9, 1920.

Use Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Talcum for all toilet purposes. Sample Book Free by Mail. Address: "Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. 10, Station 14, Mass." Send every where. Soap 15c. Ointment 25c and 50c. Talcum 25c. "Cuticura Soap shaves without soap."

## WANTS SANITY COMMISSION.

To Inquire Into Mental Condition of  
Mrs. Raisen.

New York, Dec. 24.—Counsel for Mrs. Lillian Raisen, confessed slayer of Dr. Abraham Glickstein of Brooklyn, applied to County Judge Martin yesterday for appointment of a commission to inquire into her sanity. Judge Martin indicated he would name such a commission shortly after the holidays.

If the commission reports Mrs. Raisen insane, she will be committed to a state institution without facing trial on the first degree murder indictment pending against her.

## Practical Knowledge.

"Has Nixdore's son ever made any use of his college education?" "I should say so! He was held up a few nights ago."

"And he tackled his assailant and threw him for a loss of four ribs. He learned that trick on his college eleven."—Boston Transcript.

## Analyzed.

Mother—But what do you know about him? Has he come up from nothing or has he come down from something?

Daughter—I cannot say, mamma. He has the money of the former and the manners of the latter.—Boston Transcript.

## Bargains in Tooth-Pulling.

Adopting the drug store idea, a Vermont dentist advertises that he will pull one tooth for a dollar and a second one at the same sitting for one cent.—Boston Transcript.

## A Sad Plight for Christmas Eve



— WHEN YOU DISCOVER THAT  
YOU HAVE BEEN REMEMBERED  
BY SOME PEOPLE WHOM YOU HAVE  
FORGOTTEN

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## MARRION'S CIGAR STORE

Largest Line of Smokers' Gifts in the City

All the popular brands of Cigars in holiday boxes, from 35c to \$7.00.

TOBACCO POUCHES, CIGAR CASES, CIGARETTE HOLDERS, CIGARETTE CASES, MATCH SAFES, CIGAR HOLDERS and FANCY PLAYING CARDS.

Tobacco in fancy jars, 8 and 16 oz.

Our line of Pipes is the most complete in the State of Vermont. Remember our Cigars and Tobacco are always fresh.

Give him a nice new pipe for his Christmas.

Marrion's Cigar Store

Depot Square, Barre, Vermont.

## JOIE RAY MAY TURN BOXER

If He Is Suspended By the  
A. A. U. for Big Ex-  
pense Account

## RAY BELIEVES HE WOULD BE A STAR

Battling Nelson Says He  
Would Like to Train  
Ray

Chicago, Dec. 24.—Joie Ray, fleet runner of the Illinois Athletic club and member of the 1920 American Olympic team, declared to-day that he would not desert athletics, even if suspended by the A. A. U. following the filing of charges of excessive expense accounts.

Should Ray be suspended, he stated that he would take up professional boxing and believed that he could become one of the stars of the ring.

The charges against Ray resulted from his participation in three meets last winter in New York, the first being the Wamaker games on Feb. 8, and the final being the meet of the Guaranty Trust Athletic club, Feb. 19. Mrs. Ray accompanied him on the trip.

The rules of the A. A. U. state that an athlete must not be in the city where any meet is held more than one day previous or one day later than its date, and the A. A. U. provides only \$7 a day for expenses.

Battling Nelson, former lightweight champion, said to-day that he was interested in the proposed entrance of the professional boxing game by Joie Ray, and wants to be his manager, teacher and trainer.

Nelson said he could tell in two months' work with Ray whether or not he would ever advance in the athletic sports.

"I'll tell him the truth," said Nelson. "If he won't do, I won't mine my words, but if he shows class then I will do all I can to assist him in getting to the front."

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